

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Women Development, Child Welfare and Disabled Welfare Department – Extending the benefits of Scholarships, Reimbursement of fees etc., to complete orphans, whose caste status is not known, on par with Scheduled Caste students - Orders – Issued.

WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CHILD WELFARE & DISABLED WELFARE
(DW-A1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.34

Dt 27-9.2008

Read the following:-

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.18, WD, CW &L (WH Desk) Department, dt.18.02.1991.
- 2) G.O.Ms.No.7 WD, CW &L (WH Desk) Department, dt.31.01.1994.
- 3) Minutes of the Review Meeting of Hon'ble Chief Minister held on 23.11.2007.
- 4) G.O.Ms.No.9, WDCW&DW (DW-A1) Dept, dt.10.04.2008.
- 5) G.O.Ms.No.21, WDCW&DW (DW-A1) Dept, dt.03.07.2008.

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ORDER:-

1. In the Departmental Review Meeting held by the Chief Minister on 23-11-2007, a decision was taken to enhance rates of Post-Matric Scholarships and Reimbursement of Tuition Fees to the eligible differently abled students for various courses, on par with scheduled tribe students, apart from the decision to increase the Annual Income Ceiling. In the subsequent review meeting it was agreed that complete orphans whose caste status is not known, would be extended all the benefits on par with Scheduled Tribe students
2. Vide ref.5th read above, orders were issued enhancing the Annual Income Ceiling of Parents/Guardian for eligibility for claiming scholarships and reimbursement of fees etc., to Rs.1.00 Lakh per annum.
3. Vide ref. 5th read above, orders were issued enhancing the Post-Matric scholarships rates and reimbursement of fees with effect from the year 2008-2009, to differently abled eligible students on par with Scheduled Caste students .
4. Government after careful consideration, hereby extend all the benefits of enhanced Post-Matric scholarships and reimbursement of fees etc., to complete orphans whose caste is not known on par with Scheduled Castes with effect from the year 2008-2009 as per the following guide lines:-
 - a). The complete orphans whose caste status is not known and who are inmates of Institutions shall be categorized as "caste less" and shall be eligible for Post-Matric Scholarships and reimbursement of tuition fees etc., on par with Scheduled Caste students. However, reimbursement of tuition fees on par with Scheduled Caste students shall be admissible to all such students, who are selected for category 'A' seats only in all Professional Courses..
 - b) The orphans who have completed their schooling all through in Govt., orphanages/Homes/Institutions or such Institutions recognized by the Govt., shall be eligible
 - c). The applications of such complete orphans shall be certified by the Head of the Institutions concerned and counter signed by Child Development Project Officer concerned after proper enquiry and verification of connected records. The Project Director, District Women & Child Development Agency of the District shall have all such applications cross checked and personally verify wherever warranted and submit the same to the Director WD &CW. The Director shall sanction the same and reimburse the fees to the Institutions/Colleges concerned..

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- d). The College Managements/University shall not collect Fees from such orphans at the time of counseling/admission as the same shall be reimbursed to the Institutions by Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department concerned.
 - e). Furnishing of false information or certification shall entail prosecution against concerned, in addition to disciplinary action for major punishment where Govt., staff are involved.
 - f). The information regarding sanction of Post-matric Scholarships & Reimbursement of Tuition Fees and Special Fees, College-Wise and Student-Wise shall be made available on the web site.
- 5) The Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department, Commissioner, Dept. for the Welfare of Disabled and Senior Citizens and the Commissioner, Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services and Welfare of Street Children, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.
- 6) This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (Expr. WDCW&DW) Dept. vide their U.O.No..6034/155/Expr.WDCW&DW/2008, dated 22-9-2008.
- 7) A copy of this order is also available in the internet and can be accessed at <http://www.aponline.gov.in>

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M. CHAYA RATAN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner, Deptt. for the Welfare of Disabled and Senior Citizens, Hyderabad
The Director, Women Dev. and Child Welfare, Hyderabad.
The Director, Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services and
Welfare of Street Children, Hyd.
The Principal Secretary to Govt., Education (HE) Dept.,
The Chairman, A.P. State Council of Higher Education, Hyderabad.
The Commissioner, Collegiate Education, Hyderabad.
All the District Collectors in the State.
All the Assistant Directors, Dept for the Welfare of Disabled and Senior Citizens
in the State.
All the Project Directors of District Women and Child Development Agency in the State.
All the District Treasury Officers in the State.
Commissioner Social Welfare, Hyderabad.
Director Tribal Welfare Hyderabad.
Director B.C Welfare, Hyderabad.
Managing Director, A.P.State Minorities Finance Corporation,, Hyderabad.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.
The Director, Treasuries and Accounts, Hyderabad.
The Accountant .General., A.P., Hyderabad.
The Finance (Expr.WDCW&DW) Deptt.
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OSD to M(WDCW&DW)
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